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1. The amendment filed on 19 September 2008 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

Based on the recited claim language, Applicant's amendments are clearly for the purpose of correcting obvious clerical errors in the claim language. Therefore, the amendments to the claims are entered.

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